REMARKS

Entry of the foregoing amendments prior to issuance of the first Office Action is respectfully solicited. The claims have been amended in order to place them in better form for consideration on examination and newly presented Claims 7-12 are directed to the subject matter which was canceled in the preliminary amendment. No new matter has been added. Favorable consideration is respectfully solicited.

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MARKED-UP VERSION OF AMENDED CLAIMS

- 1. (Amended) A packaging material using a film laminate in which a heat sealing agent with a low melting point is applied to a prescribed zone of an oriented film made of a synthetic resin, a cutting line is cut in the oriented film made of a synthetic resin in the form of a solid or broken line passing through the zone coated with the heat sealing agent, and a cast film made of a synthetic resin and having heat sealing properties is affixed to the oriented film—made of a synthetic resin.
- 2. (Amended) A packaging material using a film laminate in which a release agent is applied to a prescribed zone of an oriented film made of a synthetic resin, a cutting line is cut in the oriented film made of a synthetic resin the form of a solid or broken line passing through the zone coated with the release agent, and a cast film made of a synthetic resin and having heat sealing properties is affixed to the oriented film—made of a synthetic resin.
- 3. (<u>Twice Amended</u>) The packaging material according to claim 1, in which a thermally insulating flexible sheet is placed on the surface of the oriented film made of a synthetic resin and affixed thereto partially or over the entire surface.
- 4. (Amended) A packaging material using a film laminate in which a cutting line is cut in the form of a solid or broken line in a cast film made of a synthetic resin and having heat sealing properties and a thermally insulating flexible sheet is placed on the

thereofof the cut film and affixed thereto partially or over the entire surface.

5. (Twice Amended) A packaging material comprising a cover using the packaging material according to claim 1 and provided with an excess portion and a container ontohaving an opening of on which the cover is heat-sealed, in which the cover hashaving a larger area than anthe area of the opening of the container and the excess portion of the cover dangles from thean upper end of the container and is adhesively bonded to the container at thean end portion thereof.